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Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission and designation of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Commission

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

1. The Secretary-General has received notification of the death of Mr. Carlos S. Vegega (Argentina) (A/53/106/Add.1), Vice-Chairman of the International Civil Service Commission. Accordingly, the General Assembly will be required to appoint, at its current session, a person to fill the remainder of the term of office of the Vice-Chairman of the International Civil Service Commission, that is, until 31 December 2002.

2. The Governments of Argentina, Germany and Poland have put forth the candidatures of Mr. José Sanchis Muñoz, Mr. Wolfgang Stöckl and Mr. Eugeniusz Wyzner, respectively, for the position of Vice-Chairman of the International Civil Service Commission.

3. The curricula vitae of the candidates follow.

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Annex

Curriculum vitae

José R. Sanchis Muñoz (Argentina)

Diplomatic career and international posts

September 1993–January 1999	Ambassador to Japan
October 1995–December 1996	Concurrent Ambassador to Viet Nam
From 1992	Under-secretary for International Economic Negotiations (rank of Ambassador), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Buenos Aires
November 1987	With the rank of Minister, served in the Ministry (1987–1989 and 1992) and as Deputy Chief of Mission, Argentine Embassy in Tokyo (1989 to March 1992)
1986–1987	Senior consultant for the United Nations, New York (on leave of absence from the Argentine Foreign Service)
1983–1986	Consul General of Argentina in New York
1980–1982	Director of Scientific and Technical Cooperation (1980–1981), Director of Multilateral Economic Affairs (1982), Argentine Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Buenos Aires
1974–1980	Minister, Economic Affairs in the Argentine Mission to the International Organizations, Geneva
1970–1974	Economic Affairs Bureau, Foreign Ministry, Buenos Aires
1965–1970	Secretary of Embassy, Argentine Embassy, Washington, D.C.
1961–1964	Secretary of Embassy, Chief of Technical Assistance Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Buenos Aires
December 1960	Entered through competitive examinations to the Argentine Foreign Service

Academic experience

May 1997	Member of the Advisory Committee, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University
1972–1974	Director, School of International Relations, Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires
1974	Argentine Foreign Service Institute (course on commodities)
1970–1974	Professor, University Del Salvador, Buenos Aires
1970 and 1964	Instituto del Profesorado Sagrado Corazón, Buenos Aires (University level)

Education

1958	Law degree. Law School, University of Buenos Aires
1965–1966	Graduate course in International Relations, American University, Washington, D.C.
1964	United Nations Programme for Heads of Technical Assistance Bureaus, New York, Washington, D.C., and European Headquarters
1961	OAS Programme for the Study of the Panamerican System, Washington, D.C.

International conferences and meetings

President, United Nations Conference on Restrictive Business Practices, Geneva, 1979 and 1980.
Vice President, United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct for the Transfer of Technology, Geneva, 1978–1981.
Chairman of Committee on Transfer of Technology, Fifth UNCTAD Conference, Manila, 1979.
Plenipotentiary, IFAD.
Conference, Rome and Geneva, 1976.
Chairman or member of Argentine delegation to:

- General Assembly, 1962
- Bilateral Economic Meeting with Great Britain, London 1971
- Conferences and meetings on trade and international cooperation (UNCTAD, GATT, WIPO, UNDP), 1970–1980
- Sixth special session of the General Assembly, 1974
- World Food Conference, Rome, 1974
- United Nations Conference on Wheat, Geneva, 1971
- Non-aligned Nations Ministerial Conference, Belgrade, 1978
- Bilateral cooperation meetings with Romania, Hungary, Czechoslovakia and Colombia, in each of those countries, 1981

Posts in the United Nations (New York)

(On leave of absence from the Argentine Foreign Ministry)

1986/87	Senior Officer, Office of the Director General of Economic Development and Cooperation, New York
1987	Consultant, Latin American Bureau, UNDP, New York

Associations

Argentine Foreign Service Association, from 1961 (Vice President, 1982)
Interamerican Bar Association, Washington, D.C., from 1966
Association of Foreign Consuls, New York (1982–1985)
International Council for Environmental Law, Bonn, from 1970

Association of Consuls of the Americas, New York (1982–1985); Vice-President, 1983, 1984; President, 1985
Argentine Center for International Relations, 1990
Argentine Academy for the Environment, 1993
President, Tokyo Lawn Tennis Club, 1997–1999

Books published

La Argentina y La Segunda Guerra Mundial (Argentina and the Second World War) (Buenos Aires, Grupo Editor Latinoamericano, 1992)

Japon y La Argentina: Historia de Sus Relaciones (Japan and Argentina — History of their Relations) (Buenos Aires, Editorial Sudamericana, 1997). A Japanese translation was published in 1998 in Tokyo by Japan External Trade Organization.

Publications and contributions to conferences and seminars

December 1993, Master Class at Keio University, Tokyo, on Argentine economic policies

September 1998, seminar at Waseda University, Tokyo, "Japan/Argentina: history of the bilateral relations"

Decorations

Great Office of the Order of Rio Branco (Brazil), March 1993
Grand Cordon of the Order of the Rising Sun (Japan), January 1999

Personal data

Argentine citizen, married, three children.

Languages

Spanish, English, French, Italian

Curriculum vitae

Wolfgang Stöckl (Germany)

Current position	First Counsellor, German Permanent Delegation to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Paris; in charge of Public Management Committee (human resources management, civil service pay, public management reform), Coordinating Committee on Remuneration
Since 1997	Member, International Civil Service Commission (ICSC)

Previous positions and activities

1998	Co-Chairman, Working Group on the Consultative Process and Working Arrangements, International Civil Service Commission
1997	Chairman, Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC)
1995–1997	Member, Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (ACABQ)
1991–1997	Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations, New York, in charge of United Nations reform, common system and human resources management issues
	Delegate, Fifth Committee of the General Assembly
	Representative, Committee for Programme and Coordination (CPC), Rapporteur in 1993, Vice-Chairman in 1995
1990	Special Adviser for Administrative, Budgetary and Personnel Questions to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the German Democratic Republic (seconded by the Foreign Office of the Federal Republic of Germany)
1989–1991	Deputy Director, Division for Organization and Management, Foreign Office of the Federal Republic of Germany
1985–1989	Chief, Headquarters Inspection Unit, Foreign Office of the Federal Republic of Germany
1983–1985	Director, German/Saudi Arabian Liaison Office for Economic Affairs, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
1980–1983	German Consul in Cairo, Egypt
1979–1980	Assistant to the Director, German Diplomatic Training Institute, in charge of the competitive entry examination for the German Foreign Service
1977	Joined Foreign Office of the Federal Republic of Germany
1976	Ministry of the Interior, Federal State of Hesse, Germany, in charge of civil service remuneration issues

1973–1974	Assistant judge and assistant attorney, Ministry of Justice, Federal State of Hesse, Germany
1972–1980	President, City Council of Melsungen, Germany

Educational background

1977–1979	Diplomatic Training Institute, Bonn, Germany
1975–1976	Post-graduate degree in Public Administration at the Graduate School of Public Administration, Speyer, Germany
1975	Second State Examination in Law (Bar Examination)
1972	First State Examination in Law (Master's Degree)
1967–1971	Studies of Law at the University of Marburg, Germany

Publications

Various publications on administrative, budgetary and personnel issues

Languages

English, French; some Arabic and Spanish

Personal data

Born on 11 June 1948 in Calden, Germany; married

Curriculum vitae

Eugeniusz Wyzner (Poland)

Education

Law degree (International Law), Warsaw University;

Post-graduate studies at the Hague Academy of International Law

Current position

Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Poland to the United Nations

Professional Experience of Executive and Personnel Management Responsibilities in Public Administration (Art. 3 of the ICSC statute)

At the United Nations Secretariat, he served as Under-Secretary-General for Public Information (1992–1993) and Under-Secretary-General for Conference Services and Special Assignments (1982–1992). While managing those two large departments, he was personally involved in the development and implementation of various reform and efficiency measures, in order to provide professional and effective conference and information services to Member States.

Over a long period of time, he participated in the work of United Nations bodies dealing with various aspects of personnel issues. He was Chairman of the Appointments and Promotion Board (1991–1993), of the Steering Committee for the Improvement of the Status of Women in the Secretariat (1989–1992), and of the Publications Board (1982–1993). He was also a member of the Programme Planning and Budgeting Board (1984–1993), and the Secretariat Group on Administrative Reform (1983–1984).

In his national civil service, he held a wide range of posts requiring managerial competence. He was the Secretary of State and First Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Poland in 1996 and 1997. From 1994 to 1995, he was the Parliamentary Secretary and Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Poland. During that period (1994–1997), he was Vice-Chairman of his country's delegation to the General Assembly.

From 1973 to 1978 he was his country's Permanent Representative to the United Nations Office in Geneva. In 1978, he became Director of the Department of International Organizations in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland. His executive career at the Foreign Ministry began as Head of the Treaties Section. Later, he became Deputy Director (1968) and Director (1971) of the Ministry's Legal and Treaties Department.

Other professional and United Nations activities

Delegate to more than 20 sessions of the General Assembly and numerous sessions of the Economic and Social Council

Currently member, International Civil Service Commission

Chairman, Preparatory Committee for the 2000 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (second session — 1998), currently Vice-Chairman of the Committee

Chairman, United Nations Exhibits Committee (1992–1993)

Member, United Nations Senior Advisory Board on Services to the Public (1989–1993)

Chairman of the coordinating inter-agency organ in matters referring to language, publications and documentation services of the United Nations system (1982–1991)

Chairman, United Nations Disarmament Commission (1982)

Chairman, Legal Subcommittee, United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (until 1982)

Also, former member of the Boards of Directors of the International Peace Academy (New York); of the International Institute of Space Law (Paris), and of the International Congress Institute (Salzburg)

Other functions in Poland

Vice-Chairman, Poland's Committee on the Observance of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations (1994–1996)

Chairman, Governmental Board on the Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons (1996–1997)

Member, Committee on Space Research, Polish Academy of Sciences (1996–1997)

Decoration and citations

Numerous Polish decorations, including Grand Commander's Cross of the Order of *Polonia Restituta* and title of "Poland's Diplomat of the Year" (1996); Order of the *Légion d'Honneur*, awarded by the President of France; testimonial from the United Nations Secretary-General in recognition of dedicated service in support of the United Nations peacekeeping operations

Publications

Writings on various international subjects, including the United Nations

Languages

Polish, English, French, Russian